

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
LOK SABHA**

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JOBS FROM SPORTS QUOTA
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Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) the manner in which the Government propose to conduct a review in pursuance of service rules to encourage the sports of the sports persons; and

(b) the details of provisions likely to be made in rules for encouraging the spirit of sportsmanship in the sports persons?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS

(SHRI TH. CHAOBA SINGH)

(a) & (b): At present, there is no proposal to conduct a review in pursuance of service rules regarding reservation of posts for sports persons. However, at present there is a provision that up-to 5% vacancies can be filled by meritorious sports persons in Group 'C' and 'D' posts in Ministries/Departments and Establishments of the Government. Besides, Public Sector banks are recruiting outstanding sports persons up to 1% of the normal recruitment in the clerical and subordinate cadres.